

### **Sessùn Craft Prize**

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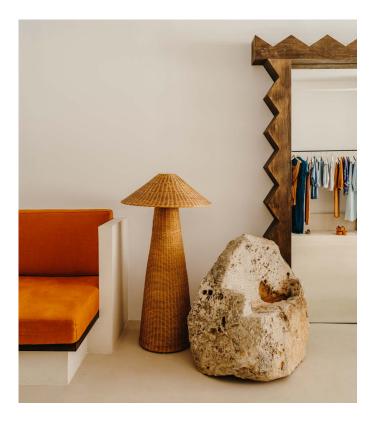
For the past 25 years, Sessùn has been engaged in creating a subtle and singular women's fashion. Playing with volumes and materials, reinventing the classics and the codes of the masculine/feminine, Sessùn writes the story of a free-spirited and inspired woman.



Ever committed to a conscious approach based on quality and the promotion of know-how, Sessùn stands out for its close attention to detail, the preservation of strong values and the development of its universe into a true art of living. The latter, embodied by the Sessùn Alma boutique, also shines through the community of artists and craftsmen with whom Sessùn continues to grow.

Sessùn is distributed in over 400 points of sale in France and abroad, through its own boutiques, corners and multi-brands.

None of our stores are alike, they are designed as an echo of the pillars of the brand: respect for local heritage, love of know-how, and tribute to all crafts. The most recent were opened in Madrid, Barcelona, Palma de Mallorca, Brussels, Frankfurt and Paris.



In 2024, Sessùn launched the 2nd edition of the Sessùn Craft Prize, an international competition open to all students and young professionals between the ages of 18 and 35. It is our way, once again, of demonstrating our commitment to artisan skills, design and know-how, as well as our desire to guide and support a new generation of designers by giving them a platform to showcase their work.



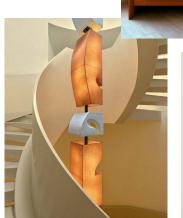
## univers



























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### brief

Create a 'masterpiece' pendant luminaire intended to decorate and illuminate the main meeting room at Sessun's headquarters. The generously dimensioned hanging creation will grace the largest conference room in our offices which hosts presentation collections, multi-department meetings and important corporate celebrations.

Conceived to harmonize with the warm atmosphere of the Sessùn brand and its ethos, the winning luminaire design will be selected based on technical feasibility and eco-friendliness, along with the potential for a future version of the design to appear in Sessùn stores.

The production budget for the piece will be +/-€5,000.

It would be greatly appreciated if the winning project could be produced by a local artisan or company. In addition to technical considerations, it is also essential to think about the overall cost of the object from the start of the design process.

Acting as a word map, the list of keywords below sketches, in a conceptual but nevertheless precise way, the contours of the project's territory.

This list is therefore intended to encourage designers to approach the project they submit for the competition in the freest, most creative and least formatted frame of mind possible, while ensuring they adhere to the themes covered within the brief.

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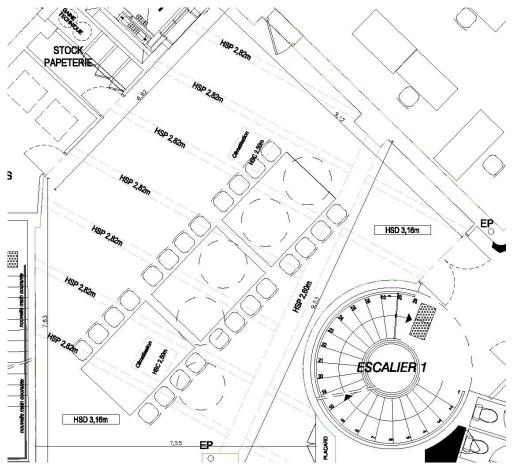
SHADE LANTERN REFERENCE POINT DAY ZENITH

EXPERIENCE ENFOLD MATERIAL MEDITERRANEAN

REED GUIDER WEAVING WELCOME SUSTAINABLE



# spaces available











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## moodboard



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# how to participate

The contest is international and open to all students and young professionals under the age of 35. Group applications are accepted.

To enter the contest, please send, before April 21, 2024 at <a href="https://fr.sessun.com/craft-prize.html">https://fr.sessun.com/craft-prize.html</a> a digital file (PDF) including :

- A 3-page portfolio of previous projects, works or achievements.
- A resume.
- A note of intent describing the project for the contest.
- 3 pages of sketches, illustrations, technical drawings, detailed description of materials used and production techniques to implement.

The jury's main selection criteria will be:

Creativity
Feasibility
Eco-responsibility
Functionality
Relevance of the response to the brief

The jury will be composed of:

Emma François Grasset - Sessùn's Founding President and Artistic Director

Julie Aleman - Director of Development at Sessun

François Champsaur - Interior designer and designer

Pauline Chardin - Photographer and artistic director

Nathalie Dewez - Designer and founder of Massilia Design

**Gabriel Escámez** - Interior designer and designer, founder of Cobalto Studio

Capucine Guhur - Interior designer and designer, Winner of the 1st Sessun Craft Prize 2023

**Isabelle Moisy Cobti** - Editorial Director of Tools magazine

Madeleine Oltra - Interior designer and designer

**Angelo de Taisne** - Interior designer and designer



# agenda



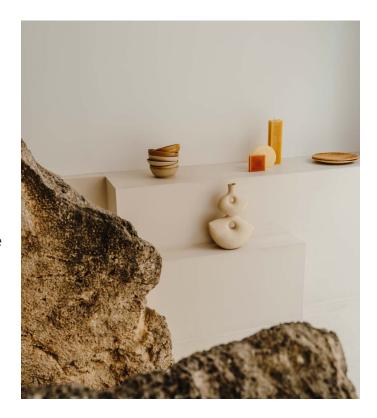
Submission of applications : **By April 21, 2024 at midnight** 



Announcement of results:

May 27, 2024

The actual production process will follow the announcement of the results.



## prize

\* 1st Prize : 1500€ + Sessùn purchase voucher worth 1000€\*

+ Production of one edition of the object

\* 2nd Prize : Sessùn purchase voucher worth 1000€\*

\* 3rd Prize : Sessùn purchase voucher worth 500€\*

\*Excluding products sold at SESSUN ALMA, and excluding periods of sales and discounts



## more about

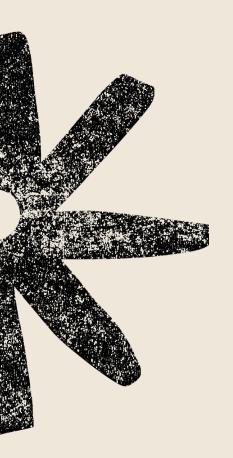
#### MASSILIA DESIGN

The Sessun Craft Prize is organized in collaboration with the structure Massalia, based in Marseille.

This first edition of the Sessùn Craft Prize is organized in collaboration with the Marseille-based design workplace Massilia. Conceived by and for designers, Massilia encourages young designers to express their visions and supports them in their professional project. While waiting to physically set up and host the officesworkshops that will welcome young international designers, the structure sets up contests and collaborations with brands diversified and open to tomorrow's creation, enabling these young creators to concretely realize their projects; Sessùn, a dynamic and constantly evolving brand, is one of them.

massilia.design





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thank you